Parliamentary Delegation to Assam

4083. SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration for sending a delegation of Members of Parliament to Assam in order to make an on-the-spot study of the flood situation in Assam; and

(b) if so, by when the delegation is expected to visit Assam?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI G. S. DHILLON): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

स्वतंत्रता सेनानियों को आवास सुविधाएं

4084. **श्री सुनील कुमार पटनायक :** क्या शहरी विकास मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सभी स्वतंत्रता सेनानियों को आवास सुविधाएं उपलब्ध नहीं हैं ;

(ख) ऐसे स्वतंत्रता सेनानियों की संख्या कितनी है जिन्हें आवास सुविधाएं उपलब्ध नहीं हैं ;

(ग) क्या सरकार के पास उपर्युक्त भाग (ख) में उल्लिखित स्वतंत्रता सेनानियों को कोई सुविधा उपलब्ध कराने का कोई प्रस्ताव है ; और

(घ) यदि हां, तो कब तक और इस संबंध में प्रस्ताव का ब्यौरा क्या है ?

शहरी विकास मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री दलबीर सिंह) : (क) से (घ) स्वतंत्रता सेनानियों को सामान्य पूल वास का आवंटन 2 वर्ष की अवधि के लिए दिल्ली में उनकी प्रामाणिक चिकित्सा के लिए किया जाता है जिसके लिए स्वतंत्रता सेनानी के स्थान/राज्य में सुविधाएं उपलब्ध न हो। यह आवंटन गृह मंत्रालय के सिफारिशों के आधार पर किया जाता है । बशर्ते कि वे कतिपय शर्तें पूरी करते हों उन सभी स्वतंत्रता सेनानियों जिन्हें आवास की सुविधा उपलब्ध नहीं है, को सुविधा प्रदान करने का कोई प्रस्ताव विचाराधीन नहीं है ।

Setting up a Sponge Iron Factory at Warangal

4085. SHRI GOPALARAO RAO: Will the Minister of STEEL AND MINES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have recently conducted any Survey to set up a Sponge Iron factory at Warangal, Andhra Pradesh;

(b) whether it is also a fact that Government have decided to set up the Sponge Iron factory at another place and not in Andhra Pradesh; and

(c) if so, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI M. L. FOTEDAR): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) No, Sir. However, there is a proposal to set up a sponge iron plant as a joint venture between Sponge Iron India Ltd. and Karnataka State Industrial Development Corporation in the Bellary Hospet area.

Affairs of railway employees cooperative housing society Delhi

4086. SHRI SAMAR MUKHERJEE: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, New Delhi, had recently received complaint from members of the Railway Employees' Cooperative Housing Society Limited. Regd. 113-H Osd Sharda Niketan, Pitampura, Delhi-34 about irregularities and malpractices;

(b) whether it is a fact that a number of retired|retiring railway employees have paid large sum amounting to Rs. 82,000|- in advance for the flat;

(c) whether it is a fact that these members are awaiting allotment since 1973;

(d) whether the Registrar has appointed an administrator to enquire into the malpractices of the said Society and to expedite the allotment of flats to the rightful members; and